

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

I. Amendments**A. In the Specification**

The specification has been amended to add the priority information.

The specification and claims is amended in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(d) to add sequence identifiers preceded by SEQ ID NO.

The specification is amended to correct Figure numbering.

The specification is amended to clarify that the bars of Figures 13A, 13B, 14, 15, and 18A-18C represent different sample runs at the same concentration.

The specification has further been amended to correct an obvious typographical error.

B. In the Claims

The claims have been amended to remove multiple dependencies.

Claims 1, 13, 16, 18, and 19 are amended to recite an exogenous gene encapsulated in a native virus envelope. Support for this amendment can be found on page 2, lines 29-32 and page 15, lines 11-14.

Claims 2-12 are amended for proper format.

Claims 10, 15, 17 and 19 are canceled.


New claims 20-32 find support in the original claims as filed.

Accordingly, no new matter has been added. Entry of the amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

If in the opinion of the Examiner a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (650) 838-4410.

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